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Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1-57. (Canceled)

- 58. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device having a Bi-CMOS circuit comprising;
 - a first layer comprising at least one bipolar transistor;
- a second layer comprising at least one n-channel transistor and one p-channel transistor over the first layer;

wherein each of the n-channel transistor and the p-channel transistor comprises;

- a semiconductor layer comprising:
 - a channel forming region;
 - a source region; and
 - a drain region;
- a gate insulating film; and
- a gate electrode.
- 59. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device having a DRAM circuit comprising:
- a first layer comprising at least one capacitor comprising:
 - a first electrode;
 - a second electrode; and
 - an insulating film between the first and the second electrode;
- a second layer comprising at least one transistor over the first layer;

wherein the transistor comprises:

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a semiconductor layer comprising:
a channel forming region;
a source region; and
a drain region; and

- 60. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device having a SRAM circuit comprising:
- a first layer comprising one first transistor;

a gate electrode.

- a second layer comprising one second transistor over the first layer;
- a third layer comprising one third transistor over the third layer;
- wherein each of the first, second and third transistors comprises:
- a channel forming region;
- a source region;
- a drain region;
- a gate insulating film; and
- a gate electrode.
- 61. (Canceled)
- 62. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device having a Bi-CMOS circuit comprising;
 - at least one bipolar transistor;
 - an insulating film over the at least one bipolar transistor; and
 - at least one n-channel transistor and one p-channel transistor over the insulating film;
 - wherein each of the n-channel transistor and the p-channel transistor comprises:
 - a semiconductor layer comprising:
 - a channel forming region;
 - a source region; and

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a drain region;

a gate insulating film; and

a gate electrode;

wherein a plurality of impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and an impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region,

wherein each of the plurality of impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region.

63. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device having a DRAM circuit comprising:

a first layer comprising at least one capacitor comprising:

a first electrode;

a second electrode; and

an insulating film between the first and the second electrode;

a second layer comprising at least one transistor over the first layer;

wherein the transistor comprises:

a semiconductor layer comprising:

a channel forming region;

a source region; and

a drain region; and

a gate electrode;

wherein a plurality of carrier moving regions and a plurality of impurity regions comprise an impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region.

64. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device having a SRAM circuit comprising:

a first layer comprising one first transistor;

a second layer comprising one second transistor over the first layer;

a third layer comprising one third transistor over the third layer;

wherein each of the first, second and third transistors comprises:

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a channel forming region;

a source region;

a drain region;

a gate insulating film; and

a gate electrode;

wherein a plurality of carrier moving regions and a plurality of impurity regions comprise an impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region.

65. (Canceled)

66. (Previously Presented) An electric apparatus comprising the semiconductor device according to claim 58, wherein the electric apparatus is selected from the group consisting of a liquid crystal display device, an EL display device, a CL display device, a TV camera, a personal computer, a car navigation apparatus, a TV projection apparatus, a video camera, and a portable information terminal apparatus including a cellular telephone and a mobile computer.

67. (Withdrawn) An electric apparatus comprising the semiconductor device according to claim 59, wherein the electric apparatus is selected from the group consisting of a liquid crystal display device, an EL display device, a CL display device, a TV camera, a personal computer, a car navigation apparatus, a TV projection apparatus, a video camera, and a portable information terminal apparatus including a cellular telephone and a mobile computer.

68. (Withdrawn) An electric apparatus comprising the semiconductor device according to claim 60, wherein the electric apparatus is selected from the group consisting of a liquid crystal display device, an EL display device, a CL display device, a TV camera, a personal computer, a car navigation apparatus, a TV projection apparatus, a video camera, and a portable information terminal apparatus including a cellular telephone and a mobile computer.

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69. (Canceled)

70. (Previously Presented) An electric apparatus comprising the semiconductor device

according to claim 62, wherein the electric apparatus is selected from the group consisting of a

liquid crystal display device, an EL display device, a CL display device, a TV camera, a personal

computer, a car navigation apparatus, a TV projection apparatus, a video camera, and a portable

information terminal apparatus including a cellular telephone and a mobile computer.

71. (Withdrawn) An electric apparatus comprising the semiconductor device according to

claim 63, wherein the electric apparatus is selected from the group consisting of a liquid crystal

display device, an EL display device, a CL display device, a TV camera, a personal computer, a

car navigation apparatus, a TV projection apparatus, a video camera, and a portable information

terminal apparatus including a cellular telephone and a mobile computer.

72. (Withdrawn) An electric apparatus comprising the semiconductor device according to

claim 64, wherein the electric apparatus is selected from the group consisting of a liquid crystal

display device, an EL display device, a CL display device, a TV camera, a personal computer, a

car navigation apparatus, a TV projection apparatus, a video camera, and a portable information

terminal apparatus including a cellular telephone and a mobile computer.

73. (Canceled)

74. (Previously Presented) An EL device having the semiconductor device according to

claim 58.

75. (Withdrawn) An EL device having the semiconductor device according to claim 59.

76. (Withdrawn) An EL device having the semiconductor device according to claim 60.

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77. (Canceled)

78. (Previously Presented) An EL device having the semiconductor device according to claim 62.

- 79. (Withdrawn) An EL device having the semiconductor device according to claim 63.
- 80. (Withdrawn) An EL device having the semiconductor device according to claim 64.
- 81. (Canceled)
- 82. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 58, wherein the semiconductor layer comprises single crystal silicon.
- 83. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 59, wherein the semiconductor layer comprises single crystal silicon.
- 84. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 60, wherein the channel forming region, source region and drain region comprise single crystal silicon.
 - 85. (Canceled)
- 86. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 62, wherein the semiconductor layer comprises single crystal silicon.
- 87. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 63, wherein the semiconductor layer comprises single crystal silicon.

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88. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 64, wherein the channel forming region, source region and drain region comprise single crystal silicon.

89. (Canceled)

- 90. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 58, wherein the second layer has a SOI structure.
- 91. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 59, wherein the second layer has a SOI structure.
- 92. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 60, wherein the second and third layers have a SOI structure.

93. (Canceled)

- 94. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 62, wherein the second layer has a SOI structure.
- 95. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 63, wherein the second layer has a SOI structure.
- 96. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 64, wherein the second and third layers have a SOI structure.

97. (Canceled)

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98. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 62, wherein the impurity element belongs to group 13.

99. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 63, wherein the impurity element belongs to group 13.

100. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 64, wherein the impurity element belongs to group 13.

101. (Canceled)

102. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 98, wherein the impurity element is boron.

103. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 99, wherein the impurity element is boron.

104. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 100, wherein the impurity element is boron.

105. (Canceled)

106. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 62, wherein the impurity element belongs to group 15.

107. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 63, wherein the impurity element belongs to group 15.

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108. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 64, wherein the impurity element belongs to group 15.

109. (Canceled)

- 110. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 106, wherein the impurity element is phosphorus or arsenic.
- 111. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 107, wherein the impurity element is phosphorus or arsenic.
- 112. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 108, wherein the impurity element is phosphorus or arsenic.

113. (Canceled)

- 114. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 62, wherein a width W of the channel forming region, a total width W_{pi} of the impurity regions, and a total width W_{pa} of regions between the impurity regions satisfy relationships $W_{pi}/W = 0.1$ to 0.9, $W_{pa}/W = 0.1$ to 0.9, and $W_{pi}/W_{pa} = 1/9$ to 9.
- 115. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 63, wherein a width W of the channel forming region, a total width W_{pi} of the impurity regions, and a total width W_{pa} of regions between the impurity regions satisfy relationships $W_{pi}/W = 0.1$ to 0.9, $W_{pa}/W = 0.1$ to 0.9, and $W_{pi}/W_{pa} = 1/9$ to 9.
- 116. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 64, wherein a width W of the channel forming region, a total width W_{pi} of the impurity regions, and a total width W_{pa} of

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regions between the impurity regions satisfy relationships $W_{pi}/W = 0.1$ to 0.9, $W_{pa}/W = 0.1$ to 0.9, and $W_{pi}/W_{pa} = 1/9$ to 9.

117. (Canceled)

118. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 62, wherein a total width of regions other than the impurity regions in the channel forming region is within a range of 30 to 3,000 Å.

119. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 63, wherein a total width of the carrier moving regions is within a range of 30 to 3,000 Å.

120. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 64, wherein a total width of the carrier moving regions is within a range of 30 to 3,000 Å.

121. (Currently Amended) A semiconductor device according to claim-61, having a stacked CMOS circuit comprising:

a first layer comprising at least one first transistor;

a second layer comprising at least one second transistor over the first layer;

wherein each of the first and second transistors comprises:

a channel forming region;

a source region;

a drain region; and

a gate electrode,

wherein the first transistor is an n-channel transistor and the second transistor is a pchannel transistor,

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wherein a plurality of first impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a first impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region of the first transistor.

wherein a plurality of second impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a second impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region of the second transistor.

wherein each of the plurality of first impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region in the first transistor,

wherein each of the plurality of second impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region in the second transistor,

wherein the first impurity element belongs to group 13 and the second impurity element. belongs to group 15, and

wherein the first or second impurity regions have dot patterns.

- 122. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 62, wherein the impurity regions have dot patterns.
- 123. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 63, wherein the impurity regions have dot patterns.
- 124. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 64, wherein the impurity regions have dot patterns.
- 125. (Currently Amended) A semiconductor device according to claim 61, having a stacked CMOS circuit comprising:

a first layer comprising at least one first transistor;

a second layer comprising at least one second transistor over the first layer; wherein each of the first and second transistors comprises:

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a channel forming region;

a source region;

a drain region; and

a gate electrode,

wherein the first transistor is an n-channel transistor and the second transistor is a p-channel transistor.

wherein a plurality of first impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a first impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region of the first transistor.

wherein a plurality of second impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a second impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region of the second transistor,

wherein each of the plurality of first impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region in the first transistor.

wherein each of the plurality of second impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region in the second transistor.

wherein the first impurity element belongs to group 13 and the second impurity element belongs to group 15, and

wherein the first or second impurity regions have linear patterns substantially parallel with a channel direction.

- 126. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 62, wherein the impurity regions have linear patterns substantially parallel with a channel direction.
- 127. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 63, wherein the impurity regions have linear patterns substantially parallel with a channel direction.

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128. (Withdrawn) A semiconductor device according to claim 64, wherein the impurity regions have linear patterns substantially parallel with a channel direction.

129. (Canceled)

130. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 62, wherein the impurity element in the impurity regions is at a concentration of 1×10^{17} to 1×10^{20} atoms/cm³.

131-132. (Canceled)

133. (Currently Amended) A semiconductor device according to claim 61, having a stacked CMOS circuit comprising:

a first layer comprising at least one first transistor;

a second layer comprising at least one second transistor over the first layer;

wherein each of the first and second transistors comprises:

a channel forming region;

a source region;

a drain region; and

a gate electrode,

wherein the first transistor is an n-channel transistor and the second transistor is a pchannel transistor.

wherein a plurality of first impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a first impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region of the first transistor,

wherein a plurality of second impurity regions each comprising the semiconductor material and a second impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region of the second transistor.

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wherein each of the plurality of first impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region in the first transistor,

wherein each of the plurality of second impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region in the second transistor.

wherein the first impurity element belongs to group 13 and the second impurity element belongs to group 15, and

wherein the channel forming regions of the first transistor and the second transistor comprise further comprising a plurality of carrier moving regions comprising [[a]] the semiconductor material.

134. (Previously Presented) A semiconductor device according to claim 62, further comprising a plurality of carrier moving regions comprising a semiconductor material.

135-139. (Canceled)

140. (Currently Amended) A semiconductor device according to claim 135 having a stacked CMOS circuit comprising:

a first layer comprising at least one first transistor;

a second layer comprising at least one second transistor over the first layer;

wherein each of the first and second transistors comprises:

a channel forming region;

a source region;

a drain region; and

a gate electrode,

wherein the first transistor is a p-channel transistor and the second transistor is an n-channel transistor,

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wherein a plurality of first impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a first impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region of the first transistor,

wherein a plurality of second impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a second impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region of the second transistor,

wherein each of the plurality of first impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region in the first transistor.

wherein each of the plurality of second impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region in the second transistor.

wherein the first impurity element belongs to group 15 and the second impurity element belongs to group 13, and

wherein the first or second impurity regions have dot patterns.

141. (Currently Amended) A semiconductor device according to claim 135, having a stacked CMOS circuit comprising:

a first layer comprising at least one first transistor;

a second layer comprising at least one second transistor over the first layer;

wherein each of the first and second transistors comprises:

a channel forming region;

a source region;

a drain region; and

a gate electrode,

wherein the first transistor is a p-channel transistor and the second transistor is an n-channel transistor,

wherein a plurality of first impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a first impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region of the first transistor,

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wherein a plurality of second impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a second impurity element are included at least in the channel forming region of the second transistor,

wherein each of the plurality of first impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region in the first transistor.

wherein each of the plurality of second impurity regions is formed in a part of the channel forming region in the second transistor,

wherein the first impurity element belongs to group 15 and the second impurity element belongs to group 13, and

wherein the first or second impurity regions have linear patterns substantially parallel with a channel direction.

142-144. (Canceled)

145. (New) A semiconductor device having a Bi-CMOS circuit comprising;

a bipolar transistor;

an insulating film over the at least one bipolar transistor; and an n-channel transistor and a p-channel transistor over the insulating film; wherein each of the n-channel transistor and the p-channel transistor comprises:

a semiconductor layer comprising:

- a channel forming region;
- a source region; and
- a drain region;
- a gate insulating film; and
- a gate electrode;

wherein a plurality of first impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a first impurity element are included at least in a part of the channel forming region of the n-channel transistor,

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wherein a plurality of first impurity regions each comprising a semiconductor material and a second impurity element are included at least in a part of the channel forming region of the p-channel transistor, and

wherein the first impurity element belongs to group 13 and the second impurity element belongs to group 15.